

### RUSS REDS UNEARTH COSTLY ART GERMS

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 25.—A vast art collection, valued at millions, which had never been taken from the packing cases, has been discovered by the Russian Bolsheviks in the garrets of the winter palace at Tsarskoye-Selo and other imperial residences, according to information from Petrograd.

The collection includes about 5,000 paintings and 200 pieces of sculpture which had been purchased in Paris and Rome and sent to Petrograd. Included among the paintings are some of the best works of France and Italian artists in the eighteenth century.

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I DON'T SEE HOW MEN CAN MAKE SUCH FOOLS OF THEMSELVES.

WELL, I KNOW I CAN'T MAKE OTHER PEOPLE SEE HOW FOOLISH THEY ARE—BUT YOU'LL NEVER CATCH ME MAKING A SPEECH.

I'M NOT SUPPOSED TO TELL YOU, STEVE—BUT THE BOYS ARE GIVING YOU A SURPRISE PARTY ON YOUR BIRTHDAY.

BEWARE, MY FRIENDS—THE WORLD IS COMING TO AN END ON OCTOBER SECOND, 1922 AT HALF PAST SIX.

THEY OUGHT TO GET A TAX ON WORDS TO STOP SOME OF THOSE GAB ARTISTS.

SPEECHES ARE SO FOOLISH—NOBODY BELIEVES ANYTHING YOU SAY, ANYWAY.

THIS WORLD WILL SEE MORE TROUBLE IF THE ASKING REPUBLIC IS NOT GIVEN A VOTE IN THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

I'LL WRITE A GREAT SPEECH AND MAKE THEM THINK I THOUGHT IT ALL UP ON THE SPUR OF THE MOMENT.

THEY ALL FLOP SOONER OR LATER.

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NO BRAINS

I'LL PUT A LOCK ON YOUR DOOR FOR \$5.

THAT'S TOO MUCH.

I'M GOING TO BED—THIS HOUSE IS SAFE ENOUGH.

I LIKE TO COME IN THROUGH THE FRONT DOOR LIKE A GENTLEMAN.

GEE, I'M LUCKY—THE BURGLAR OVERLOOKED 30 CENTS IN MY PANTS' POCKET.

### FINNS ROUT REDS WHO CROSS LINE

LONDON, Aug. 25.—Russian Bolshevik troops crossed the Finnish frontier in the Mantali-Kretella district but were met with violent fire from the Finnish White Guard forces, said a news agency dispatch from Helsinki today, quoting a Finnish official statement.

DOG SPORTS CROWN.

ANDERSON, Ind., Aug. 25.—Dr. W. G. McMillan's dog wears a gold crown on his molar. The doctor crowned the canine when he discovered his pet had a toothache.



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AN AMBITIOUS HEN.  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 25.—At least one local hen is trying to beat the H. C. L. She is alleged to have laid an egg weighing 15 ounces.

### KIDNAPED AVIATORS TELL EXPERIENCES

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ected us to Polaris, which we believed was the Polaris on the Rio Grande, but which later proved to be Polaris on the Conchas river.

Tried To Swim River.

"We attempted to swim down the river, but were unable to make it because of the current and rapids. We walked along the bank of the river until 9:30 o'clock Monday night. It was the roughest kind of going. Often we had to pull ourselves over cliffs by our hands.

"At 5:30 Monday two airplanes passed over us. We did our best to attract their attention, but owing to the great height at which they were compelled to fly over the mountains, they were unable to see us.

"We managed to sleep Monday night. We were up at 5:30 Tuesday morning, and, after walking until 9, we started to swim down the river. We estimated that we swam twenty-eight miles. Peterson was so hungry the six several buckets of nuts, which later made him sick. Rentario later told him it was a wonder the nuts didn't kill him, as they are considered very poisonous by the Mexicans.

While Near Drowning.

"While swimming down the river we were sucked under twice by eddies, so decided it was unsafe to continue. We walked till 10 o'clock in the evening, when we went to sleep with a rock for a bed. We had intended making a town if possible, but it was so dark that Lieutenant Peterson nearly grabbed a rattlesnake in groping his way about the rocks, and I came within several feet of another one. The day before we had killed a rattler after a battle with him. We have the eight rattles for souvenirs.

"Up at 5:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, we were again on our way. About 8:30 a. m. we reached a small village, Sabaco. We purchased some tortillas and arranged with a Mexican to take us to the next town, eight miles away, on two burros, for \$10. As we were leaving two heavily-armed Mexicans approached us but did not bother us. We were not far from the town, however, when we were surrounded by six Mexicans, all heavily armed. The leader, who turned out to be Rentario, questioned us but let us proceed while he consulted with the others.

"A quarter of a mile further, however, we were again overtaken, this time by three Mexicans who sent our burros back and ordered us to follow them up an old river bed. We concluded they were going to take us to some secluded spot and rob us. But they treated us very well. We traveled until 8 p. m., stopping three times, once at a Mexican distillery, again at a ranch where we had the evening meal, and once at a ranch where Rentario traded the two burros we were riding for an old horse and a lame mule.

Gets Goat for Supper.

"We camped over night on the mountainside and were on the way again at 5:30 a. m. We rested during the afternoon and during the afternoon came to a rather prosperous looking ranch where Rentario obtained a goat, which we cooked for supper. Then we pitched camp for the night. Rentario dropped pieces of handkerchiefs and torn up bank checks as we went, to mark the trail. We rode until 2 a. m. in Friday. Rentario had a lot of amusement prodding my mule with a sharp stick to make him buck. Peterson knew a lot about kangas, where Rentario worked on the railroads once, and talked Rentario into a near friendship.

"Rentario began calling him Peterson and let him ride without a guard. When I tried to argue with Rentario, he always said: 'Do you want to die now?' and when we said 'No,' he would say: 'All right, go ahead then.' Peterson bawled me out for arguing with Rentario and Rentario would then say to Peterson, 'You and me good friends.'

"We rode Friday, resting during the heat of the day as usual.

Are Told of Ransom Plan.

"At 7 p. m. we reached a part of a ravine in the mountains which was hidden on four sides by mountainous walls. Here Rentario announced to us that he was holding us for \$15,000 ransom, which must be paid by midnight of August 18 or he would kill us both. We stayed here until Monday afternoon. Rentario left every night and came back in the mornings to sleep during the day. We were treated very considerably and had as much to eat, and as good, as did the bandits themselves.

"In view of our lack of knowledge

of the mountains, we decided that it would be useless to try an escape, as we would only be recaptured within a few hours. But when two Mexicans laid down their rifles about fifteen feet from them, I signaled Peterson, and he made a rush for the rifles while I endeavored to overpower the guards. But they beat me, and the other one covered Peterson with his rifle.

"Sunday morning Rentario told us that the telegrams for the ransom had been sent. He told Peterson that if the ransom was not paid he was going to get a shirt and some trousers for him and take his uniform back to the Americans to prove that he had been killed, but that he would not kill him; he would kill me, he said. Sunday night he left and came back Monday morning, bringing the telegrams from our parents and food which was sent by Captain Matlack. He was in fine spirits and told us the money would be raised by ranchers by 1 p. m.

"At 2 p. m. our guards told us to get ready and we hiked two miles over the mountains to a deep canyon, where the guards informed us Rentario would come for us at 4 o'clock. About 9:15 we heard Rentario's whistle, and the guards went forward to challenge him. We were guided on the journey by Rentario.

Would Hide in Airplane.

Rentario told us that he would send Lieutenant Peterson out first, and if the money and everything went right, he would then send me out. He put Peterson on a horse and rode out through a cornfield, where he met Captain Matlack. Rentario told Peterson he was "his good friend," and got his address, so he said, he would come to visit him in his airplane some time and hoped he would soon see his parents. This was when Peterson brought back to him the \$7,500, which Captain Matlack had given him for ransom.

"As soon as Peterson had left with Captain Matlack, I was started on foot, with two mounted bandits beside me, back to the mountains, and I sympathized with a man being led to the gallows, for I was convinced that some treacher had been planned and that so far as I was concerned they were going to put an end to things, as I knew Rentario hated me. However, in an hour they took me back to San Antonio, and Rentario shook hands with me as he bade me "Good-by." He said that if he ever saw me again he would kill me on sight. A Mexican agent then took me to Captain Matlack's house.

"I wish to make mention here of the very brave deed of Captain Matlack, who, after the man Rentario had appointed as agent refused to go into Mexico alone, came in after me when he knew armed Mexicans to be lurking in a corn field where they could easily have cut both of us off on our way back. He knew he had only a fifty-fifty chance for his life.

Matlack Threatens Agents.

"When I met Captain Matlack he told the Mexican agent if he made any noise he would shoot him. I mounted behind the captain, and we started out. Matlack offered the other Mexican agent \$1,000 if he would keep quiet, and told him that he would shoot him if he made any noise. The captain ordered the agent to follow us to Cuahuatlan. As we neared the corn field Captain Matlack told me that we were sure to be recaptured if that at the first sign both of us would jump into an irrigation ditch and fight until troops arrived from Cuahuatlan.

"But the Mexicans didn't fire, and we reached Cuahuatlan safely at 2 a. m. Tuesday, and it was here that Peterson and I first learned that we had been in Mexico, as we believed we had followed the Rio Grande river and not the Conchas. The latter was not on our map.

"Tuesday we returned to Mexico with a troop of the Eighth cavalry, and have been there until the return by ship today."

many view the plan with more favor than they have usually shown toward any plan of municipal control or ownership of the utilities.

The opinion of "the man in the street" who is seldom consulted in these matters, is this:

1.—The street companies of Washington ought to be able to operate their cars at less than nine or ten cents and still pay reasonable wages to their men.

Want 5-Cent Fare To Stay.

2.—That a 5-cent fare should be maintained if physically possible. He is willing to give one or two cents more car fare if he can be guaranteed better service and can be assured that the employees of the company will be paid reasonable wages as a result of his sacrifice.

3.—But if the company cannot raise wages or improve service with an increase of two cents in fare, he is unwilling to contribute anything more, and the whole thing, he points out, should be placed in the hands of authorities competent to give good service for reasonable rates.

The general opinion of District officials today was that the affairs of the Washington Railway and Electric Company have reached a crisis, and that whatever action is taken now must be taken with a view to permanency.

The issue is clear, with labor demanding a heavy increase of wages, and with capital insisting that the public must bear 80 to 100 per cent added fare in order to pay the wage increase.

Charge Plot Against W. R. E.

Charges that the Amalgamated was trying to force a strike on the Washington Railway and Electric line, so to benefit the Capital Traction Company, were made this afternoon by an official of the Brotherhood. He said a strike was called on the Washington Railway and Electric and the Capital Traction employees continued to run cars, they would block the tracks at every point that the cars could cross by running cars to those points.

A meeting of the Brotherhood will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, in which the answer of the Washington Railway and Electric Company will be considered. Another meeting will be held forth some purpose at 8 o'clock in the evening, to which representatives of citizens' associations and the press have been invited.

H. W. Lynn, president of the local branch of the brotherhood and chairman of the committee which made the demands on the railway company, today said that the membership of the brotherhood in this city is composed of 100 members, all of whom have served the company from one to forty-three years. He said he was representing the men only, and not the company, as was charged by J. H. Cookman, business agent of the Amalgamated.

Mr. Lynn said that the brotherhood would only strike as a last resort, but that they would not be used as a tool by any organization.

MANY TOMMIES IN MURMANSK.

CHICAGO, Aug. 25.—Large British transports are arriving daily on the Murmansk coast with troops and munitions. It is stated in the latest advices that twice as many troops are arriving as are departing.

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ship of the roadbed and under-surface equipment of the company, maintenance of same by the city, and leasing the property to the railway companies.

Proponents of this plan point out that the future development of the District could be controlled by the city under such a program, in this way, of track would be directly under control of the city government.

Opponents of the plan assert that the idea proposes taxation of the property owners of the District in order to maintain a low rate of carfare for patrons of the car companies.

It is learned officials of the com-

### LEMON JUICE TAKES OFF TAN

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